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## OPEN SHOP THREAT TO CHICAGO UNIONS

Builders Give Men Until Tomorrow to Comply With Landis Decision.

250,000 MEN ARE IDLE

Employers Association Ready to Offer Places to Unskilled Men.

Special Despatch to The New York Herald.  
CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Orders to put the building industry in Chicago on an open shop basis were sent to all contractors in the city to-day by the Associated Builders and the Building Construction Employers Association. The open shop will become effective Thursday unless union men abide by the wage decision of Judge Landis and return to work.

Under the open shop arrangement contractors will hire union men and non-union men indiscriminately. Some of the contractors were in favor of the adoption of the open shop policy at once, but after discussion it was decided to give to the union leaders an opportunity to get their men in line and get back on the job in accordance with the decision of Judge Landis. A few already have inaugurated the open shop.

Realizing the possibility of an open shop movement, Thomas S. Kearney, president of the Building Trades Council, has called for the business agents representing the thirty-six unions affiliated with the council to meet on Thursday morning, when union officials will appeal to the men to return to work pending a rehearing of the wage question.

"I think Judge Landis was sincere when he revoked his granting of a rehearing, unless the men now on strike returned to work," Kearney said. "It is now up to us to get the men back on the job until we have a chance to thresh this matter out."

William McKinley, counsel for the Associated Builders, declared the men would be back on the jobs if the leaders ordered them.

"If Tom Kearney ordered the men back on the jobs and seriously meant it they would be back," declared Mr. McKinley. "He has been telling them to go back with his fingers crossed. Unless something unforeseen happens before Thursday we shall advertise for men, non-union or union, and the open shop will be started."

"The open shop is here now, I think to stay," Mr. McKinley continued. "There are 250,000 idle men in Chicago, almost any one of whom can do carpenter work as well as the strikers, who are holding out for \$1.25 an hour. As soon as it becomes certain that the unions will refuse to recede from their position these men will take the places of the strikers." "We have decided to fill all jobs as soon as possible and go on with the work. It means the open shop for Chicago," declared E. M. Craig of the Associated Builders and the Building Construction Employers Association. "We should have the support of the public in this move. We are standing pat on Judge Landis's ruling and will not deviate in the slightest particular. Judge Landis represented the public and spent months of work for the public welfare in his arbitration. Those who offer to pay the difference between his scale and the old one are working against public interest and deserve no support."

Members of the plumbers union who walked out last week, tying up the completion of the work on the Government's new hospital for soldiers, offered their services without pay to finish the work to get the hospital ready for the wounded veterans. The men walked out following the Landis decision, which cut their wages from \$1.25 to 95 cents an hour. The offer to work without pay was made by William Curran, president of the union.

## FIRE LAWS ARE VIOLATED BY HYLAN SCHOOL REGIME

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to be made as to the nature of the more dangerous violations?"

"No, I have not."

Mr. Prall said he believed most of the violations were trivial and by agreement with the Fire Department had been passed up until such time as repairs could be made. It was shown that there is no authority to compel the city to follow in the public buildings the rigid fire prevention rules established by the city government for privately owned property.

"Are you aware that in March last the Superintendent of Buildings reported that if the Fire Department should enforce through legal proceedings the orders now outstanding against school buildings there would be no alternative except to close such structures until funds were available and the orders executed?"

"I am not."

**Expert Tells of Fire Perils.**

Maurice Deutsch, architect and engineer, was employed by the Meyer committee to study the schools in relation to fire prevention regulations. He said the estimated cost of complying with the rules was about \$4,500,000. "There are about 100 schools in which there are wooden stairways without enclosures as required by the Fire Department," the witness said. "That is a distinct violation." The city's rules require sufficient fireproof stairways to permit occupants vacating the building in three minutes. There are 193 of these violations.

"Then there are inside wooden stairways that must be replaced. The rule calling for enclosing stairways on each floor with fire and smoke proof partitions are generally violated. Stairway terminals are not clear; there are many such violations. Closets are in open corridors. Boiler rooms have one exit. Coatrooms are in halls and passageways. Children congregate in corridors and there are fires on record where boys have thrown matches in these closets, causing fires."

"Movable chairs are used in auditoriums. There are wooden doors along the line of exit stairways; ceilings of boiler rooms are not fireproof; there are at least 100 violations of the rules regarding fire alarms. There is general carelessness 'a la schools in this matter out.'"

The witness went into details regarding other violations of the fire rules. There are at least 100 violations of the rules regarding fire alarms. There is general carelessness 'a la schools in this matter out.'"

The hearing will continue to-day.

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## MOTHER DIES SAVING 2 BABIES IN STREET

Automobile Driver Gives Up an Hour After Woman Is Crushed to Death.

BOY IS HIT NEAR SCHOOL

Unidentified Lad Dies in Hospital After Being Found With Books.

Mrs. Josephine Antonio, 27, of 150 Seventh street, Brooklyn, was crushed to death yesterday between an iron fence and a heavy touring car which ran up on the sidewalk in front of 671 Fourth avenue. Before the automobile hit her Mrs. Antonio succeeded in pushing her daughters, Karsa, 6, and Frances, 3, out of its path. Frances was slightly injured. The other child was unhurt.

The automobile sped away after the accident, but an hour later the driver, Walter F. Gammon of 414 Sixty-first street, gave himself up at the Fifth avenue police station. He explained that he ran away because of the threatening actions of a crowd. He was charged with homicide.

An unidentified schoolboy on his way to school with books under his arm was mortally injured by an automobile driven by Frank J. Motta of 228 West 116th street in front of Public School 184, in West 116th street. One of the boy's books bore the name William Huntst, but the school principal said there was no boy of that name registered in the school. He was about 7 and wore a white blouse, dark trousers, black shoes and stockings. He died in Mount Sinai Hospital.

**DANTE DEAD 600 YEARS.**

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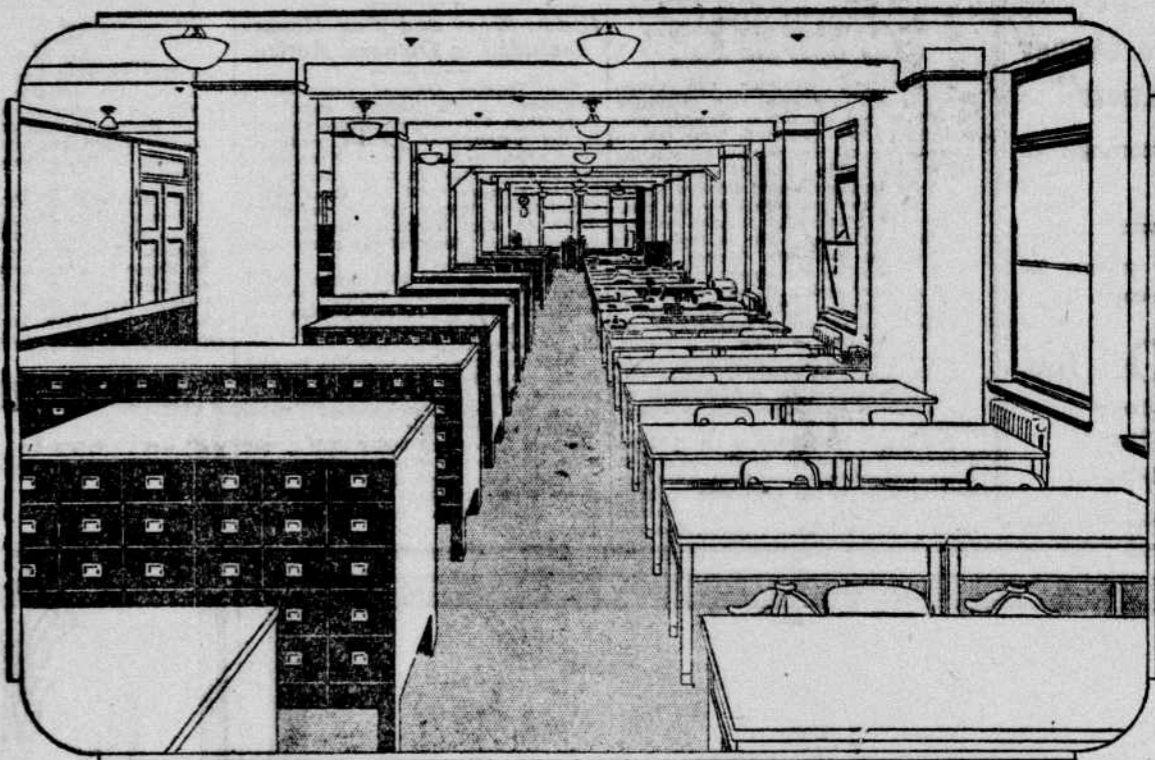
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